

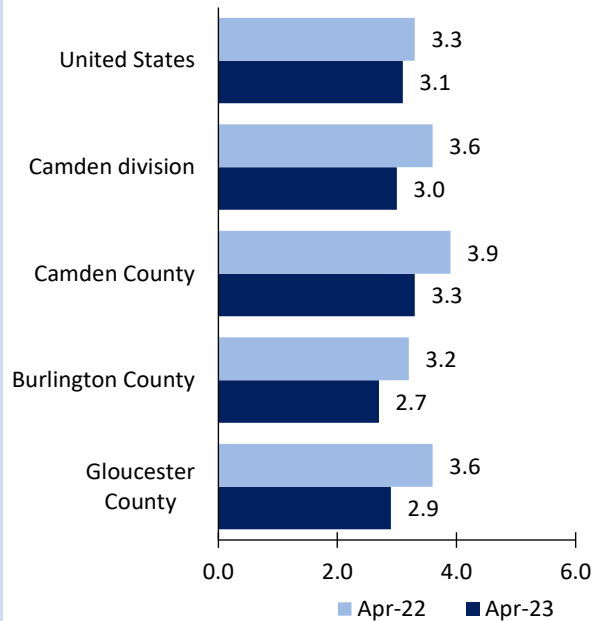
# Camden, NJ, Division Economic Summary

Updated May 31, 2023

This summary presents a sampling of economic information for the area; supplemental data are provided for regions and the nation. Subjects include **unemployment, employment, wages, prices, spending, and benefits**. All data are not seasonally adjusted and some may be subject to revision. Area definitions may differ by subject. For more area summaries and geographic definitions, see [www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm](http://www.bls.gov/regions/economic-summaries.htm).

## Unemployment rates for the nation and selected areas

### Unemployment rates



Source: U.S. BLS, Local Area Unemployment Statistics.

## Average weekly wages for all industries by county

### Camden division, third quarter 2022

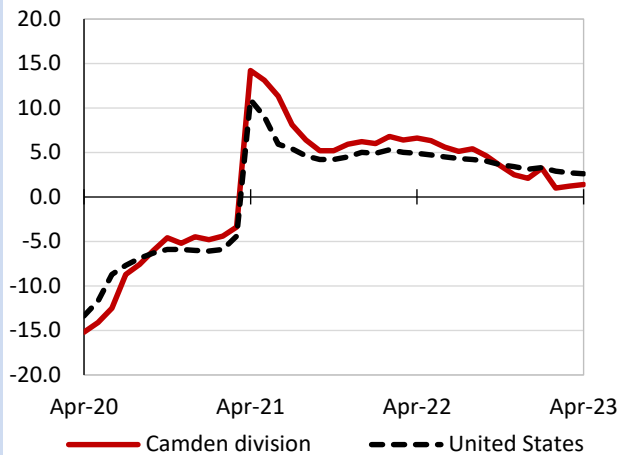
(U.S. = \$1,334; Area = \$1,407)



Source: U.S. BLS, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages.

## Over-the-year changes in employment on nonfarm payrolls and employment by major industry sector

### 12-month percent changes in employment



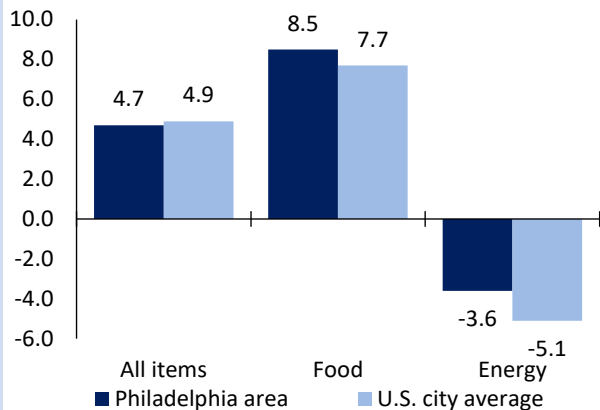
Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.

Camden division employment (number in thousands)	Apr. 2023	Change from Apr. 2022 to Apr. 2023	
		Number	Percent
Total nonfarm	569.2	8.1	1.4
Mining, logging, and construction	22.5	-0.9	-3.8
Manufacturing	41.0	0.9	2.2
Trade, transportation, and utilities	136.7	0.1	0.1
Information	5.9	-0.2	-3.3
Financial activities	28.7	-1.4	-4.7
Professional and business services	80.0	-0.7	-0.9
Education and health services	107.2	5.0	4.9
Leisure and hospitality	50.9	4.2	9.0
Other services	21.0	0.5	2.4
Government	75.3	0.6	0.8

Source: U.S. BLS, Current Employment Statistics.

Over-the-year change in the prices paid by urban consumers for selected categories

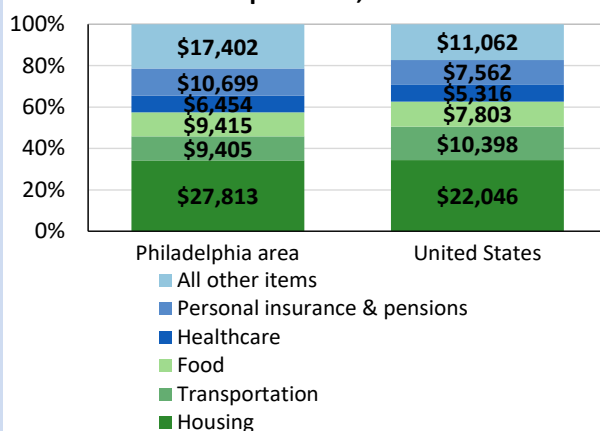
12-month percent change in CPI-U, April 2023



Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Price Index.

Average annual spending and percent distribution for selected categories

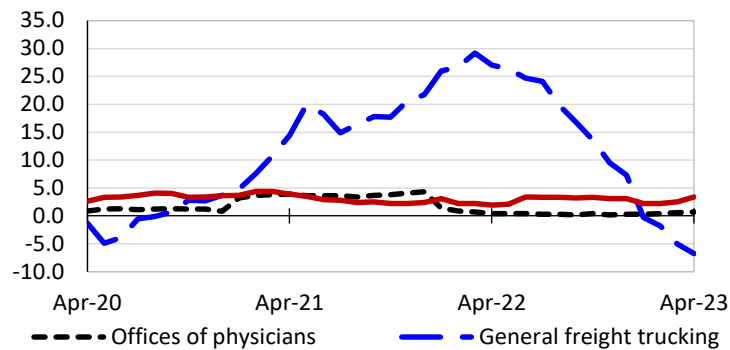
Average annual expenditures, United States and Philadelphia area, 2020-21



Source: U.S. BLS, Consumer Expenditure Survey.

Over-the-year changes in the selling prices received by producers for selected industries nationwide

12-month percent changes in PPI



Source: U.S. BLS, Producer Price Index.

Average hourly wages for selected occupations

Occupation	Philadelphia area	United States
All occupations	\$31.01	\$29.76
Lawyers	76.88	78.74
Registered nurses	42.23	42.80
Accountants and auditors	41.83	41.70
Customer service representatives	21.24	19.80
Nursing assistants	18.17	17.41
Fast food and counter workers	13.26	13.53

Source: U.S. BLS, Occupational Employment and Wage Statistics, May 2022.

Employer costs per hour worked for wages and selected employee benefits by geographic division

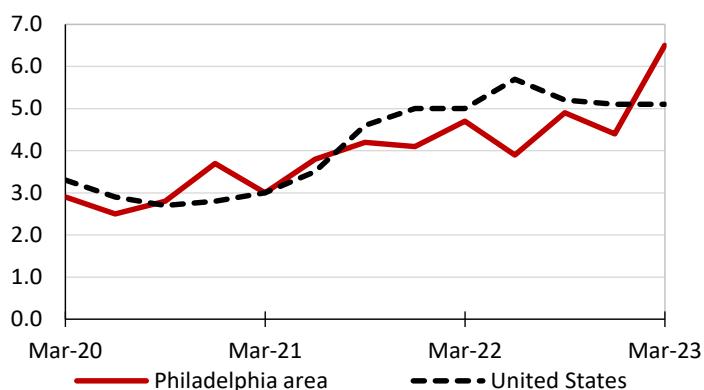
Private industry, December 2022	Middle Atlantic	United States
Total compensation	\$46.61	\$40.23
Wages and salaries	32.37	28.37
Total benefits	14.24	11.86
Paid leave	3.62	3.01
Vacation	1.83	1.54
Supplemental pay	1.62	1.49
Insurance	3.57	3.00
Retirement and savings	1.90	1.36
Legally required benefits	3.54	3.01

(1) The states that compose the Middle Atlantic census division are: NJ, NY, and PA.

Source: U.S. BLS, Employer Costs for Employee Compensation.

Over-the-year changes in wages and salaries

12-month percent changes in ECI



Source: U.S. BLS, Employment Cost Index.